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Title: METHOD OF ENCRYPTING
INFORMATION FOR REMOTE
ACCESS WHILE MAINTAINING
ACCESS CONTROL

PRELIMINARY REMARKS

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Sir:

Prior to first examination on the merits, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider the following remarks and to grant a personal interview.